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Dear Sir:

This is a response to the Office Action mailed June 22, 1998 in the above-identified application to which response is due by September 22, 1998. This response therefore is timely filed.

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